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Claims

- 1. A probe of a medical instrument that is intended for insertion into a patient's body orifice, such probe has the outer surface which is shaped to contain at least one cavity.
- 2. A probe of claim 1 where said cavity is covered by outer skin that is permanently attached to said outer surface.
- 3. A probe of claim 1 where more than one cavities formed on said outer surface are separated by ridges.
- 4. A probe of claim 3 where said cavities are randomly distributed along said outer surface.
- 5. A probe of claim 1 is fabricated of material having low thermal conductivity
- 6. A probe of claim 1 further comprises a polymer probe cover that envelopes said outer surface.
 - 7. A method of thermal insulation of a medical probe, comprising a step of forming indentations on the outer surface of the probe.
 - 8. A method of thermal insulation of a medical probe of claim 7, further comprising a step of covering said indentations with a layer of protective material having low thermal conductivity.